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In re Application of:

Timothy Scott CHAMBERLIN et al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-captioned case as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-18 without prejudice to its reentry as some later date.

REMARKS

Claims 19-38 remain in the application.

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It is respectfully requested that the application as so amended receive an examination on the merits, and that the claims as now presented receive an early allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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